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### **How can I renew my daughter's passport?**

*Q: My daughter received U.S. Citizenship through her father and was issued a passport at the Embassy back in 2008. She has not renewed it since then but would like to travel to the United States this summer. How does she renew her passport? Does her father need to be there when she renews? Which documents are required?*

A: We will be glad to assist your daughter in renewing her U.S. passport. It is always a good idea to keep travel documents current, in order to avoid last-minute complications.

Information on passport applications, including how to schedule an appointment for passport services, is available on the Embassy's website at: <http://kingston.usembassy.gov/service.html>

Here are the documents your daughter should bring with her:

- The printed passport application
- Her passport
- Her birth certificate
- Consular report of birth abroad (if applicable)
- Government-issued identification for parents listed on the birth certificate (Jamaican Voter's IDs will not be accepted)
- 1 passport-sized photograph with a white background
- \$105 USD (Minors) or
- 135 USD (Adults / 16 & over)
- \$1,200 JMD to pay the DHL delivery fee

Passport applications for children under age 16 must be submitted in person at the Embassy or Consular Agency. Your daughter must be present as well. Both you and your daughter's father should appear with her. Please visit the Parents' Corner of [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov) for more information on parental consent and requirements:

<http://travel.state.gov/content/passports/english/passports/under-16/under-162.html>

We look forward to your visit. Summer is a great time to visit the United States!

*You can find more information about how to travel to the U.S. on our website, [www.kingston.usembassy.gov](http://www.kingston.usembassy.gov) and the website of our authorized service provider at [www.usvisa-info.com](http://www.usvisa-info.com). Keep on top of Embassy news on our Facebook page, [www.facebook.com/pages/US-Embassy-Jamaica](https://www.facebook.com/pages/US-Embassy-Jamaica) and by following @USEmbassyJA on Twitter. We also answer general visa questions on our Facebook and Twitter pages.*